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# United States District Court

For the Northern District of Iowa

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**In the Matter of: Search Policy for U. S. Probation Officers**

ADMINISTRATIVE  
**ORDER #1527**

In certain cases it may be necessary for the Court to impose a condition of supervised release under 18 U.S.C. §§ 3583 and 3553 that includes the searching of a defendant's person, residence, office, related spaces, vehicle and any computer related equipment. The ordering and imposition of search conditions serve as a method of monitoring a defendant's compliance and to ensure the safety of the public.

In response to the potential need for the search of a defendant or his property the U. S. Probation Office has developed a Search Policy. The policy serves as a guide to the proper implementation of a search either by consent of the defendant or in enforcing a condition of release.

The policy has been reviewed and approved by the Court.

Mark W. Bennett

Mark W. Bennett  
Chief Judge  
United States District Court

7/26/2002

Date

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